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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application Of: :
 Fang Lu et al :
Serial No *SN 09/818,000* :
Filed: *March 27, 2001* :
For: *Oxidase-Based Sensor For Selective* :
 Analysis of Analytes In Aqueous Samples :
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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(B)

1. Applicants herein petitions for revival of their unintentionally abandoned application. The above identified application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to a Notice To File Corrected Application Papers (formal drawings), dated May 2, 2001. The Notice Of Abandonment, dated August 27, 2002, is annexed to this Petition.

2. The unintentional delay in the filing of a timely response to the Notice of May 2, 2002, was occasioned by the reorganization of Applicants' assignee, the closure of one of the Applicants' facilities and the reassignment of key management personnel to the parent company of assignee in China. The inventor has also since relocated to China. Accordingly, once the instant application become unintentionally abandoned, the value of the application to the company was not readily known, and, thus, the decision to seek reinstatement delayed. A Terminal Disclaimer in herein enclosed for the period during which this application has been abandoned.

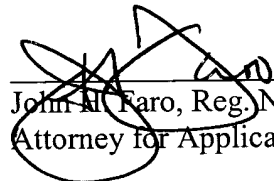
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3. A complete response to the Notice of May 2, 2001, is enclosed, specifically,
- Complete set of formal drawings, and
 - A Terminal Disclaimer disclaiming the last two (2) years of any patent issuing on the instant application, along with the Statutory Disclaimer fee of \$55.
4. A Revival Petition Fee as follows:
- (X) Enclosed is an Extension Fee, under 37 CFR 1.17(m), in the amount of \$ 650.00;
- () Please debit Deposit Acct No. 06-0127 in the amount of the Extension Fee;
- (X) Please debit Deposit Acct No. 06-0127 for any additional fees that may additional fees that may be incurred as a result of the delayed filing of a Response to the foregoing Notice.

Respectfully



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